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News Gleanings FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS Of The District

REID HILL-MILO

Mr. Ernest Heather of the 95th Battery, 16th Field, is a visitor at his home in Milo.

The annual meeting of the Milo Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Jack Deitz on Wednesday, Dec. 3rd. Officers elected were Mrs. Buchanan, president; Mrs. A. Armstrong, vice-president; Mrs. Chas. A. Northcott, secretary and Mrs. W. Holton, treasurer. After the meeting a dainty lunch was served.

Mrs. A. Ferngreen was a Vulcan visitor over the week-end.

KIRKCALDY

Mr. A. J. Maisey was a week-end visitor at the home of Mrs. P. Patterson of Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hollister were Calgary visitors on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Pakenham and Mr. and Mrs. L. Maisey and daughter of Herrington were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Maisey.

Mrs. G. Selmes returned last week from Calgary after spending several weeks in the city.

The Kirkcaldy School Christmas concert will be held on Tuesday, December 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd were recent Calgary visitors.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. George Skovmond on Friday, Nov. 28th at Berwyn, Alta., after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Skovmond was a resident of Kirkcaldy for a number of years during which time her husband was agent for the Home Grain Co. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Elizabeth and one son, Harold, all residing at Berwyn.

MAYVIEW

Miss Kay Moore of Calgary, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stein.

Mrs. J. W. Hamilton who has been visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Richardson and family, left last week for her home in High Bluff, Man.

Mr. Gordon Sinclair who has returned from Los Angeles, where he took a course in radio broadcasting and television is at present in Calgary writing a further examination on his studies.

The regular and annual meeting of the U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Ed. Richardson on December 3rd. Mrs. L. E. Richardson gave a report on articles handed in to the Vulcan Red Cross Society, and what is needed most in the future. Plans were made to do more sewing. The roll call was answered with recent boundary changes. The raffle was won by Mrs. L. E. Richardson. Mrs. J. Smith was re-elected as president and Mrs. Ed. Richardson was elected secretary-treasurer. After the meeting a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

The annual meeting of the U.F.A. was held at the home of Mr. J. R. Stein and a good attendance was on hand for the meeting. Mr. J. R. Stein was re-elected president for the year and Allan Sinclair was elected secretary-treasurer. A combined meeting and holiday party was arranged for the evening of December 29th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Love. At the close of the meeting lunch was served.

VETERANS' GUARD NEEDS RECRUITS

It is announced that all ex-service men who are physically fit and not over fifty years of age can now enlist in the Veterans' Guard of Canada.

The Guard has 28 companies in the Canadian Active Force including Special Service Company Overseas, a total enlistment in all of over 7,000 and in addition, all interment camp staffs throughout Canada.

The duties of the Veterans' Guard spread from coast to coast. More men are now needed to keep the ranks filled—the Guards will take practically all the men it can get. The Legion has a legitimate interest and pride in the Guard. We helped to found it, and these men are our comrades. We also have an obligation to "see the job through." Therefore when recruits are needed the Legion must help to get them. Qualifications are: Must have seen service in the Great War and must have honorable discharge.

Must not be more than 60 years of age. Must pass the prescribed medical examination within the range allowed for the Guard. Must be prepared to serve anywhere in Canada or Overseas. Enlistment in the Guard is enlistment for active service. C.A.A.F. pay and allowance regulations will apply.

All Legion branches have full information for prospective recruits.

OBITUARY

VULCAN OLD-TIMER PASSES SUDDENLY

Edward Hanson, aged 61 years, passed away suddenly after a very brief illness. He was born in Yorkton, South Dakota. Mr. Hanson came to Canada in 1905 and homesteaded five miles north of Vulcan where he has farmed ever since. He is survived by four brothers, Magnus of Turner Valley; Martin of Rocky Mountain House; Hans of Glasgow, Montana; and Louis of Calgary. Two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Hill of Vulcan and Mrs. Oliver Anderson of Bellingham, Wash.

BERRYWATER

A meeting of the Berrywater U.F.W.A. and U.F.A. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Walker, Dec. 3. Separate sessions were held.

Mrs. Smith presided at the U.F.W.A. meeting, an account of which is as follows.

Arrangements were completed for a bake sale to be held in Milo, Dec. 20th when a Christmas cake will be raffled in aid of the Red Cross.

Plans were made for the annual dinner of the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. members and their families, on Friday, January 8th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith. It was decided to purchase the fowl and make a small charge to cover the expenses. Committees were appointed by the chair. Supper committee, Mrs. Oldfield, Mrs. Sinclair. Entertainment, Miss Gladys Baden; Committee, Mrs. F. Mensinger and Mrs. Ross Walker. The secretary received a sample copy from Central Office of the U.F.W.A. programme for 1942. This programme was discussed and a dozen copies ordered. Another item of business was the choice of a delegate to attend the annual convention to be held in Edmonton. Miss Gladys Baden was chosen as delegate. The date of the next meeting was set for Jan. 14th for both the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. and will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Mensinger. Some time was taken up with the discussion of resolutions.

A raffle provided by the hostess was won by Mrs. Donald Smith. After partaking of a delicious supper, both the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. members participated in a Christmas pie which yielded much interest and merriment.

Brant News

Mr. Tom Murphy left on Saturday for Manyberries where he will spend the winter taking care of sheep. He has been visiting here with his daughter Mrs. D. Shultz and with his son George of Nanton.

Miss Freda Becker who has been employed at the Galt hospital, Lethbridge since early fall has returned to her home.

On Friday night the Brant high school entertained the high school students and teaching staffs of Blackie, Herrington and Mossleigh. About seventy-five enjoyed a miscellaneous program of musical numbers, tap dancing, tumbling, folk dancing and games under the arrangement of social convener, Bill Bertrand. Maxine Clayton president of the Brant students' choir gave the address of welcome. Bill Bertrand acted as master of ceremonies while Miss Tewksbury, Mrs. McIlride and Mr. Benny Ball supplied music for the dancing.

Mr. Cecil Mitton was again elected by acclamation as trustee for division four of the Foothills school division for the next two years.

The appointment of a new slate of officers to handle the activities of the Brant Curling Club for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Munro McKay; secretary-treasurer, Don Shultz; committee members: Geo. Gould, Clark Fletcher and Chas. Fulton.

Mrs. Bob Williams and Don Gould spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gould.

VULCAN W. I.

The regular meeting of the Vulcan W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. L. Chell on Friday, December 5th with a good attendance of members present. Election of officers for the coming year was held with Mrs. F. B. Craig named president, Mrs. O. A. Craig, vice-president, and Mrs. A. Sales secretary-treasurer. Directors appointed were Mrs. G. Monkman, Mrs. R. W. Simington, Mrs. L. Chell and Mrs. A. T. Martin. Later a most pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed consisting of a Christmas pie from which each member drew a social, gift and two contests. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Miss Martha Schneider. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. D. Buehler on Friday, January 9th.



CHURCHILL INSPECTS AMERICAN PILOT BOMBERS

Pausing for a moment to light his cigar, the British Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, inspected British and some of the many American bombers which are being flown across the Atlantic to Britain in ever-increasing numbers. He was accompanied by the United States Ambassador-at-large, Mr. Harry Hopkins.

Brief Items of Local Interest

Friends of Mr. Ken Clark will regret to learn that he met with an accident and received a serious injury to his leg. He is a patient in the Vulcan Municipal Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howes were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

Mr. Leon Bateman was a Calgary business visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Carson and Mr. D. Bevan attended the Shrine ceremonial at Calgary this week.

A few friends gathered Saturday night to wish Godspeed and every success to Mr. Jack Anderson who has since left for the Pacific Coast to take the Canadian Officers' Training course.

A shooting gallery has been opened in Vulcan in the building two doors east of the bakery by Mr. W. J. Saunders.

Mr. Wallie Smith is now operating a taxi and ambulance stand at the Marble Coffee Shop. The phone number is, Vulcan 15. Mr. Smith is known locally here and has had long experience in ambulance and taxi work. Full service at any hour of the day or night will be given.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson are at present visiting in Calgary.

The Vulcan Advocate has just received a shipment of Christmas stationery in fancy cabinets, etc. also a large assortment of Christmas cards. You are invited to call and inspect this shipment of stationery and cards now on display. We are also prepared to have this stationery initiated for you at a very reasonable cost.

Mrs. Roy McIntyre is a Calgary visitor.

Miss Lenore McLaggan, who has just completed a business course in Calgary, has secured a position with the Dunlop Tire Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Christensen, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, were recent visitors at the Craig home.

We wish to remind our readers that taxpayers are subject to a penalty of four per cent after December 15th on all unpaid taxes.

O. Speer and Jas. Orchard have left for Winfield, Alberta.

Mrs. K. L. Warner is at present a patient in the Vulcan Municipal Hospital.

In compliance with rules set down by the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association, 50c will be charged for notices of all social activities for which an admission charge is made. When the notice is to appear more than once the charge will be 50c for the first insertion and 25c for each additional insertion. Formal announcements and cards of thanks are also subject to a charge of 50c. The above becomes effective December 1, 1941.—The Vulcan Advocate.

Vulcan Rifle Club Annual Report

The Vulcan Sporting Rifle Club has completed another season of shooting at its indoor range in the Vulcan Curling rink. The club had quite a successful year, though not as good the previous year. This year the club registered 42 new members, 26 of these being ladies and 16 men. This brings the total of those registered with the Vulcan Club since its start in the spring of 1938, up to 152, (105 men and 47 ladies).

Approximately 23,000 rounds of ammunition were fired by the Rifle Club members this year. From this shooting the club salvaged 37 lbs. of copper cases which are to be turned over to the Red Cross for the purpose of aiding in Canada's war effort.

The shooting members of the Club won this year a total of 67 Dominion Marksmen awards (37 Maple Leaf pins and 30 silver spoons). The following is a list of the members winning D.M. awards and the awards won by each member:

Miss D. Adams, bronze pin, silver pin.

Mr. E. Arney Jr., bronze pin.

Miss M. C. Arney, 4 silver spoons.

Mrs. E. Banks, bronze pin; silver pin.

Miss L. Braunwarth, bronze pin.

Miss G. Butchart, bronze pin.

Mr. A. Brown, silver pin.

Mrs. D. L. Buehler, gold pin, 6 silver spoons.

Miss L. J. Clarkson, bronze pin.

Miss Ruby Collier, bronze pin, silver pin.

Miss O. Deitz, bronze pin.

Mr. I. J. Doney, 6 silver spoons.

Miss E. A. Fisher, bronze pin.

Mr. Keith Fisher, 2 silver spoons.

Mr. A. B. Fitzpatrick, bronze pin, silver pin, gold pin, 1 silver spoon.

Miss P. Greene, bronze pin.

Miss K. Hanson, bronze pin.

Mr. R. S. Irwin, bronze pin, silver pin, gold pin.

Mr. A. J. Kettleson, 2 silver spoons.

Miss E. M. Larson, 2 silver spoons.

Mr. H. L. Lilly, 1 silver spoon.

Miss L. Marion, bronze pin.

Miss Fern Martin, bronze pin, silver pin, gold pin.

Mrs. V. Mensinger, bronze pin, silver pin, gold pin.

Miss Betty Muhlbeier, bronze pin, silver pin, gold pin, 3 silver spoons.

Mrs. L. McIntyre, bronze pin.

Mr. Roy McIntyre, bronze pin.

Miss E. Peterson, bronze pin.

Mrs. Ross Walker, bronze pin.

Mr. Jon Wolfe, gold pin, 3 silver spoons.

Note—Twenty of the above awards were won by ladies and 10 by men.

The Vulcan Rifle Club also entered one men's team in the provincial Dominion Marksmen team championship competition and one ladies' team in the Western Zone Dominion Marksmen ladies' team championship competition. The final standing of these two teams is not known as yet, but below is the personnel of the team and their scores. Each team consisted of seven shooters with the five highest score to count. (The ladies only had five members on their team and so all their scores counted in the team total). Each team member shot three targets, ten shots on each target, making a total of thirty shots per man.

Men's Team
George Greig — 100 (7X); 100 (8X); 130 (9X)—300 (24X).
H. E. King — 100 (7X); 100 (9X); 100 (7X)—300 (23X).
Keith Fisher — 100 (5X); 100 (9X); 100 (7X)—300 (21X).
O. J. Doney — 99 (7X); 100 (9X); 100 (8X)—299 (24X).
Dave Brooks — 99 (7X); 100 (7X); 100 (6X)—299 (20X).
Totals—1498 (112X).

Ladies' Team
Miss Betty Muhlbeier — 100 (5X); 100 (8X); 100 (8X)—300 (21X).
Mrs. D. L. Buehler — 100 (5X); 100 (6X); 99 (5X)—299 (16X).
Miss Evelyn Larson — 98 (6X); 100 (6X)—298 (15X).
Miss M. C. Arney — 98 (3X); 96 (6X); 100 (8X)—297 (17X).
Miss Connie Hoskyn — 99 (3X); 96 (4X); 99 (3X)—296 (10X).
Totals—1499 (79X).

It might be well to mention here that the only discouraging factor in the Rifle Club activities this year was the lack of interest shown by those men of military age who are quite apt to see military service either here in Canada or abroad before this war is finally won. It is appalling how little the average man knows about shooting and the proper handling of fire arms and now that we are at war the Vulcan Rifle Club expected far more men to take advantage of the facilities offered to brush up on their rifle shooting or better still, to learn to shoot and to shoot straight. The amount of use put to the clubs range by the local militia "A" Co., Calgary

MONTHLY MEETING TOWN COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Vulcan Town Council was held on December 1st with all councillors present.

Carried that the Town of Vulcan support the total war effort.

By-law covering sale of Lot 1, Block 24, to John Olson, was given its first and second reading.

By-law covering sale of Lots 27 and 28 in Block 9, to Mrs. Bridget Foley, was given first and second reading.

An offer of \$250 cash for the old Danes' store building was not accepted.

An offer of \$10 each for Lots 29 and 30, Block 8, was not accepted. It was decided to advertise.

The appeal for donation towards Youth Training was tabled until next year's estimates.

Councillor Arney was elected Deputy Mayor for three months.

Moved and carried that By-law No. 53 be amended to allow merchants to remain open until 9:00 o'clock on the 5th and 20th of the month when those days do not fall on Saturday (the closing hour on that day being 10 o'clock) and on other nights until 8:00 o'clock, during the period of airport construction.

RED CROSS NOTES

There will be very special bargains at the Red Cross Bargain Store this Saturday, Dec. 13th, after which the store will close until further notice.

The Doll House, which was donated by Moyriene Wolfe, and on which the Red Cross has been selling tickets, will be drawn for Saturday evening, Dec. 13th in the Vulcan theatre.

The work committee shipped the following articles in the month of November: 19 sweaters, 6 scarves, 103 pairs of socks, 7 helmets, 4 pairs of gloves. Also the regular monthly quota of 10 refugee outfits, and 11 quilts and 8 blankets. The sincere thanks of the Red Cross are extended to the ladies' groups one and two of the United Church, the Ladies' Circle, Thigh Hill W.I. and Mrs. Lebeau for donations and the making of quilts. In response to the call for blankets, 8 so far have been received. Three blankets came from the Mayview U.F.W.A., 2 from Mrs. Lebeau, 2 from W. Jamison, 1 from Mrs. John Caruthers and 1 from St. Aldhelm's Guild.

Mr. W. Jamison very generously gave a \$25.00 donation to buy stockings for refugees. Group 2 of the United Church gave two pairs of stockings and two baby sweaters; Mrs. Maber one pair of stockings; Berrywater U.F.W.A. gave a knitted afghan and Kirkcaldy W.I. gave \$1.00 for stockings. The ladies of the Mayview U.F.W.A. were very active last month in making and donating 13 pairs of slippers from discarded felt hats. They also made one quilt and donated 3 blankets, 12 girls' dresses and 6 pairs of panties. The Reid Hill W.I. have donated \$4.00 to the jam fund.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred Marvel, to LAC John Wylie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wylie of Glasgow, Scotland, the wedding to take place on January 1st.

Highlanders, both as a company and as individual members of that company, was very disappointing. This lack of use is reflected in the comparatively poor score turned in by the men's team. It should be a well known fact that a soldier is no better than his ability to shoot. The late Earl Haig did not consider that a man had done his duty to his country until he had learned to shoot. However, it is hoped that next year a great deal more interest in shooting will be shown by those most liable to some day have to use their ability to shoot.

The Vulcan Rifle Club wishes to take this opportunity of expressing its gratitude to the Town of Vulcan for the use of the curling rink, rent free and to the Vulcan Branch of the Canadian Legion which has each month paid the light bill for the rifle range lights. Without their much appreciated help it is doubtful whether the rifle club could have operated on the scale it did.

H. E. KING,
President Vulcan Sporting Rifle Club.

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Wheat Farm Income Averages \$1,122

The Searle Grain Index of prairie farm position shows a total revenue for the present year of \$336,667,000 from all sources, which is 45 million less than they got last year (In 1928 the total farm revenue was \$611,780,000).

There are in the three prairie provinces approximately 300,000 farming families. The breakdown of the total farm revenue for this year shows \$152,000,000 for wheat including bonuses, or an average of \$506 per family from wheat. Other sources of revenue are coarse grains \$29,873,000; livestock \$104,537,000; dairy products \$31,167,000; eggs and wool \$6,340,000; miscellaneous \$10,190,000; vegetables, etc., \$2,560,000. These other sources divide up into \$616 per family to make the total average farm income from all sources \$1,122 for this year. Out of this total of \$1,122 each farm family has to pay all living expenses, and costs of growing, harvesting, hauling to market, etc.

Some families are better off than average, and on the other hand, there are many families much below average, particularly those who are obliged to depend mainly on the revenue from wheat alone.

Farm Expenses

What are farm expenses? The Searle Index of the cost of the things that farmers have to buy, which has been compiled and published monthly since 1931, gives us accurate information about this. The Searle Index keeps account of the costs of a total of 147 essential items which we find that prairie farmers must buy in order to maintain their families on the farm and to continue with production. The Index includes 16 items of groceries; 36 of clothing; 28 of household equipment; 553 of farm equipment; 12 of farm machinery and 2 items of school and municipal taxes. These items, we find, cost farmers today \$1,004 a year. It will be observed, therefore, that each prairie farming family has on the average only 118 dollars left (\$1,122 minus \$1,004) with which to pay for all those things which farming families require, and which are not included in the 147 items in the Searle Index. Such things for instance, as medical care, fire and life insurance; upkeep and cost of a car or a truck if such are used; holidays, amusements, cost of high school education for children—whenver, as is quite common, there is no high school near the farm—payment of interest on borrowed money, on mortgages and loans; payments for such small extra comforts that might be considered necessary for the well being of a farming family.

These figures show at a glance why our prairie farm families on the average are reduced, to a comparatively low standard of living, and why so little can be repaid these days on debts.

Cost of Living

The Searle Index of the cost of things farmers buy (147 items) now stands at 150, (1913-14 equals 100). This means that these things cost farmers of the West at the present time 50% more than did similar items of the same quality in 1913-14. (These costs have risen 15% since August 1939). The purchasing power of a bushel of wheat is now, therefore, 52% of what it was in 1913-14.

Since August, 1939, at the start of this present war, groceries have risen 22%, clothing 9%, household equipment 21%, farm equipment 15%, farm machinery 20%, and farm taxes, municipal and school 3%, making a weighted average increase of all the things Western farmers buy of 15%.

Relative U.S.-Jap Naval Strength

Japan claims that superior speed of the Jap naval fleet can offset the greater number and firing power of the U.S. naval vessels.

In the cruiser class United States has 27 cruisers of more than 9,000 tons. Japan has eight cruisers of comparable class. But Japan has four pocket battleships almost ready for action.

It is said that Japan has 13 aircraft carriers in service, with two more almost completed. United States has seven in service and 12 in the building. American carriers are much larger in size. Three of the Jap carriers are designed for seaplanes and it is said that six cargo vessels have been converted into auxiliary seaplane carriers.

Japan is considered by naval experts to have inferior naval strength against United States alone, without considering the strength of the allied British fleet in the Pacific.

Only 40% of the Nazi convoys ever get to Libya, with Royal Navy and Air Force destroying the balance.

Harold Winch, leader of the C.C.F. party in B.C. has refused to join the prospective Coalition government on the ground that C.C.F. policies differ from Liberals and Conservatives, and to advocate those policies within the ministry would not contribute to stability of government.

The province of Alberta now owes the city of Calgary \$572,500 on defaulted bonds and securities. An effort has been made to arrange an exchange of Alberta bonds for Calgary bonds held by the province, but the government prefers to hold the Calgary bonds on which it insists full interest be paid. The province, however, only pays 50% of contractual interest rate on Alberta bonds.

Church Notes

UNITED CHURCH

Sunday, December 14th

11 a.m. morning worship. "Shutting Lions' Mouths." When God has a work to do lions are not allowed to injure. "Daniel in the lions' den" is spiritual reality. Special music by the junior choir. 12.15 p.m. Sunday school. Let us make this a Christmas rally and beat every past record. Senior Bible class, "Faith in Christ" (Rom. 3. 21-23. 5-1-2).

7.30 evening worship. "Summing Things Up." Whichever way we look at true religion there is a "whole duty of man." The text says "Let us hear the conclusion—" Special music by the senior choir.

Note — A special congregational meeting will be held at the conclusion of the evening service. All interested in the welfare of the church are urged to be present.

Friday, Dec. 12th at 8 p.m. Prayer and Bible study. "Great Chapters of the Bible." Romans, Chapter 12. All are invited.

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Sunday, 14th December is the birthday of King George VI. Services in St. Aldhelm's church will be Holy Communion at 11 a.m. and Evensong at 7.30. Church school at 12.15. Service at Eastway school at 3 p.m. The usual midnight service for Christmas Communion will commence at 11.30 p.m. 24th December.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, Dec. 14, 10.30 a.m. Bible school hour with its opportunity of Bible study for all ages. 11.30 a.m. weekly Lord's Supper Communion service succeeded by the message for the morning. 3.30 p.m., Gospel team service at the Boyne school. 7.30 p.m., evening service, consisting of a lively song service of hymns and the message of the evening entitled "Why Christianity Appeals To Me." 8.30 p.m., Y.P.'s Christian Endeavor meeting. Wed., Dec. 17, 7.00 p.m. orchestra and choir practice. 8.00 p.m. Prayer meeting service.

We cordially invite the public to join us in any of these services.

Refugee Parcels Are Well Received

Acknowledgement to Little Bow War Workers From British Red Cross Works Party in Appreciation

A letter written to Mrs. Horrell of the Little Bow War Workers' Association tells of the appreciation of a British Red Cross work party for the parcels of clothing received. The letter acknowledges also donations from other women's groups in this area, explaining "We don't have their address so will you please convey our thanks to them."

The letter coming from Mrs. J. Sandilands of Balloch Scotland, tells of the use to which clothing has been put and this will be of interest to the many groups of women in this district who have been sewing so faithfully for the overseas' bombed victims. She says: "The evacuees have been cared for with clothing so we have handed over the small garments to the committee dealing with soldiers, sailors, and airmen's families who are always in need of clothing. With the cold weather of the past week (early November) the woolies will be greatly in demand."

The bed mats we displayed at the work party, and they were greatly admired by the ladies, who, like myself, had never seen them finished with the bows of wood. Some of our evacuees are setting up house again and we will give bed mats where they are most needed and will be appreciated. We realize the time you ladies must have spent in making them. We can assure you it has been time well spent for not only does it bring comfort to the homeless, those in hospital, and the A.T.S. but encouragement to us as a work party.

Our numbers have fallen off since the Clyde-side blitz, but you can realize that with evacuees in most of the homes, the housewife has added responsibility. However, many of the people are being housed, and that will ease matters all round.

"Our branch, besides undertaking the usual knitting and sewing for hospitals, is making garments for women and children to be used in event of a blitz. The schools are assisting us now and it is marvellous the amount of work we get done, and the children are so keen to help."

Week-End Events In World of War

Major week-end events:

Saturday—Great Britain declares state of war in effect against Finland Hungary and Rumania at 12.01 a.m., British time.

Saturday—Canada declares war on Finland, Hungary and Rumania (8.15 p.m. M.S.T.).

Sunday—Japan announces state of war with United States and Britain as from dawn Monday. Announcement made 6 a.m. (Monday) Japanese time (2 p.m. M.S.T., Sunday).

Sunday—Costa Rica declares war

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FOR SALE

FOR RENT OR SALE—Three-roomed building, well located, formerly occupied by the Bargain Store. Suitable for a small business. Apply M. O. Peterson, Vulcan, Alta.

FOR SALE—Willis K Style Piano, fumed oak, flat tone finish, in good condition. Apply Vulcan Advocate. 13-3-p

FOR SALE—Tamworth Boar, about two years old. Apply—Harry Burgess, 15 miles North of Vulcan on gravelled highway. 16-2-p

FOR SALE—Two Coleman Lamps with shades, half price. One 6-tube Philco Cabinet 2-volt Battery Radio, guaranteed in good condition, cost \$140.00. Will sell for \$50.00 or trade for wheat. Apply Vulcan Advocate or R. M. L'Esquivier, phone Vulcan 1503R. 15-3-c

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Bob Edwards' "Eye Opener"

Bob Edwards in Calgary Eye Opener of 1917, looks over the war situation of that period. A calamity in the early days of the High River Methodist Church—the Gramophone of

In the files of the Calgary Eye Opener of 1917, Bob Edwards seeks a few interviews and carries some military notes on the war of that date. He reports:—

Mr. John Mosley, the military expert of Eighth Avenue is authority for the statement that the Italians made a grave mistake in allowing the Germans to cross the Piave River. Anyway Mr. Mosley knows geography.

Says Haig Is Too Slow
R. L. Malloy, a former resident of Calgary, is of opinion that Haig is too slow in his operations and should have been in Berlin long ago. Mr. Malloy was quite disappointed the other day in leaving Lethbridge after a two-year term, to find the British were still fighting round Ypres.

Need a Vast Chinese Army
Major Percy Boggles the ferocious looking warrior who declined to revert to rank and is now back in these parts smoking El Pewko cigars and telling everyone about the blunders of the Allied Generals, says the war could be brought to speedy conclusion by placing Lord Northcliffe at the head of a vast Chinese army and turning them loose regardless of accepted military tactics. The gallant major gets his whiskey from Saskatoon.

Must Be Won by Prayer
John A. Irvine, Laurier-Liberal candidate for West Calgary, claims that this war must be won by prayers. Mr. Irvine is not alone in this belief. It is shared by every alack, pro-German and conscientious objector in this country.

Gramophone and Methodist Church
Reverting to the past, Bob Edwards recalls early days at High River in this startling story of the gramophone choir and the inebrated salesman and the Methodist church.

"The gramophone choir promoter has visited High River—and departed. On being told that there was just one Methodist church (built by Percy Taylor) and having as its main pillar Dr. Stanley, the gramophone choir promoter explained his business. Having long realized the difficulties which small town churches experience with their rambunctious choirs, he had devised a scheme which 'solved the whole cheese' as he put it. All church troubles were traceable to the choir. If the minister eloped it was sure to be with a member of the choir and so on. His Gramophone Choir would put a stop to all that nonsense.

"Through the kindness of Dr. Stanley this rather scrubby individual obtained the promise of a fair trial for his gramophone choir on the morrow which was Sunday. Needless to say the machine was kept going full blast all Saturday night in the room adjoining the bar and when Sunday morning dawned the professor was in bad shape from lack of sleep and too much of Jerry's Fine Old Glenhorrors. Anyhow when Sunday evening came and the fateful hour for the demonstration he was nervous.

"All High River was out at church to hear the gramophone choir, 'the

gang' being thickly bunched in the back pews. Sure enough there was the instrument perched on a little table, with the professor capering round fixing it up.

"Hymn Number 471" announced the preacher. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" omitting the third stanza.

"See here" argued the professor, "this here choir omits nothing. There are no hops and skips in the middle."

"Proceed air" said the preacher.

"All right let 'er go" says the professor. "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" by the Edison quartet.

As the notes of the beautiful hymn were wafted outward the professor stood beaming. The people were charmed, the preacher looked grateful, later making a few appropriate remarks on the marvellous advance in science and the blessings vouchsafed to human genius by the Almighty.

The next hymn announced in the course of the service, was "Nearer My God To Thee" and hearers leaned forward expectantly. The preliminary coughing and shuffling of the congregation drove out the original announcement from the gramophone, but it was not long before it dawned on those assembled that the new choir was now singing "Just because you made them goo-goo eyes." The professor looked wildly round and then stopped the machine to put on another record. But the minister stopped him with "The resignation of the Gramophone choir is accepted. Let us pray."

Next morning the scrubby individual with his large satchel, immense horn and tremendous joy might have been seen wending his way over to the station bound for Macleod. The professor's idea was good but poorly executed. It called for some degree of sobriety, and a little care to safeguard the records from the mischievous hands of his hotel pals. The professor may have been a failure at church but was a brilliant success at the bar.

Trade Board Sets Turkey Ceiling

(From War Time Trade Board)

Prices for Christmas turkeys in Canada this season will find their own levels in relation to a maximum price of 31 cents per lb. at Vancouver and 32 cents per lb. at Montreal and Toronto for dressed birds, Grade A, in car lots.

These "ceiling" prices were announced in a statement issued Dec. 4, 1941 by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Because relatively few turkeys other than storage stocks were sold during the base period, Sept. 15 to Oct. 11, it was necessary for the Board to decide on a price level. This was done after careful consideration of all points of view, the producer, the trade, and the consumer.

The statement as announced permits customary premiums for quality with the proviso that they do not exceed the set maximum price by more than 2 cents per lb. Price levels for all other grades sub-grades and weights are left to find their own price levels or price differentials relative to, but not above, the maximum set for Grade A.

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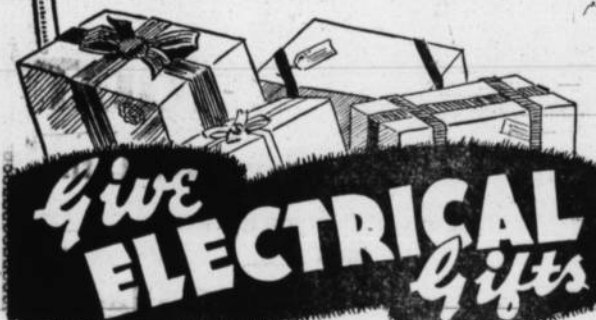
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Chamber of Commerce Head Discusses Trade

D. G. McKenzie, Head of Chamber of Commerce, Deals with New Industrial Development; The Future

In his address given at Nanton, D. G. McKenzie, resident of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, spoke of the research in progress to turn farm produce to profitable industrial uses. Joint study of agriculture and industry is necessary to develop this program. "In Manitoba this year, he said, 15,000 acres of sugar beet and 90,000 acres of commercial corn have been grown. Processing of fruits and vegetables in new forms are in sight and the making of power and industrial alcohol may soon be an accomplished fact. Australia is moving fast in this respect, and United States is embarking on industrial alcohol production. Acute ethyl alcohol shortage is being met by engaging facilities of whisky distilleries; 20,000,000 bushels of grain have been released for this purpose with necessary barley and yeast. If it works out as expected 50,000,000 gallons of industrial alcohol will be turned out.

Continue British Hog Market
"A resolution of the Chamber of Commerce is concerned with the maintenance of the bacon hog market of Britain after the war on permanent basis.

"If at the close of the war the British requirements fall off to any degree, then Canada with an immensely increased hog production, because of the war, will be faced with chaotic conditions amongst hog producers. This would carry down with it the price of beef, poultry, etc. There is imperative need to preserve and maintain our present market in Britain.

Breeding Herds in Europe
"Foundation breeding herds in devastated Europe will be largely destroyed by war. Canada should now be laying plans to provide these requirements. The health and quality of his livestock is very important.

"The International joint committee of Canada and U.S.A. is studying such questions and Canadian-American trade relations will have an important part in sound reconstruction of a world order. Britain's defense of our very democracy depends upon the effectiveness of U.S.-Canadian reciprocal co-operation with United States.

"When the story of the war years is written, it will be a striking story of what two great nations can do in sudden emergency. And in the problems of peace, the war-time lessons of co-operation will not be lost.

Mutuality of Trade
"I think we need a clearer realization that exports are primarily a means of paying for imports we want, and that it is the goods that flow into a country that enrich it, not those that flow out. In the long run we will gain by encouraging diversified economic development in other areas. When this war is over, North America will inevitably have the responsibility of leadership.

Threat of Chaos
"If we refuse this responsibility, the world round us will dissolve into chaos in which the foundations of our system will be undermined. Or sooner or later, it will unite against us and set up some new order. There is little doubt that the main reservoirs of capital energy and initiative will lie in North America, in order to repair European damage and further economic development in South America, Africa and Asia. Canadian-American trade relations should do much to make this new order possible.

New Trade Facts
"At the close of the war, Canada will have to face a new set of facts in developing her trade policy. The generous attitude of U.S.A. in Lease-Lend arrangements will affect the policy of the British Commonwealth in future purchases of American goods. Britain has been one of Canada's greatest markets, but many of the goods offered by U.S.A. compete with our own, and it may be desirable to have chosen collaboration between Canada, the British Commonwealth and U.S.A. in planning the extension of export trade generally.

Merchant Marine
"For years Canada has held fourth or fifth place amongst trading nations of the world in value of international trade, and second in value of export trade per capita. But it has owned and operated practically no foreign going cargo ships. Almost 80% of the ocean-going trade was carried by British and certain specialized foreign countries.

"But with the impact of the war many of the established carrying nations are losing ships faster than they can replace them. It may be that in two years U.S.A. fleet will be bigger than that of Britain and other carrying countries combined. The American merchant marine will be a new fleet.

"No doubt we can count on American ships serving Canada to considerable extent, but can we risk entire dependence on ocean transport of our good neighbor, especially when many of our products are competitive to those of U.S.A. The answer is that friendly relations would be more secure if Canada, Britain and sister Dominions maintained a merchant marine.

"In conclusion as a solution of the problems of dim obligations and em-

Purebred Sale Brings \$28,000

A number of High River farmers attended the purebred Hereford sale at Claresholm stockyards last Thursday. J. K. Gibson a rancher of the Bingville area, disposed of his herd at Claresholm, when the Bingville land was taken over by the war office. There were 149 head of cows and calves which averaged \$163, the sale grossing \$28,000. Montana buyers bought a good proportion of this stock.

Factors Affecting Wheat Prices

(From Searle Grain Report)

The Argentine Government estimates probable wheat production in 1941-42 at 183.7 million bushels. Adding a carry-over of 110.3 million bushels this makes a total supplies 293.9 million bushels. Domestic requirements are placed at 102.8 million bushels leaving a wheat surplus of 191 million bushels.

A preliminary official estimate of wheat production in Southern Rhodesia this year was placed at only 160,000 bushels as compared with 182,000 bushels in 1940.

The Argentine Government has fixed minimum prices for the 1942 wheat crop at 6.75 pesos, equal to 54¢ per bushel, U.S. funds. Futures trading has been suspended in wheat, linseed and sunflower seed at Buenos Aires.

The Canadian Government second official wheat estimate is down four million bushels to 302,606,000 bushels compared with 551,390,000 bushels last year, or 45% less.

The United States Congress has revised the Neutrality Act making it possible for American ships to enter the war zone.

Burma may harvest a record rice crop in 1941-42 according to recent reports received from Rangoon. Last year's bumper crop amounted to 401.6 million bushels which was the largest produced in recent years.

U.S. corn production for 1941 has been officially estimated at 2,675 million bushels, up 360 million bushels from the ten year average.

Corn production in Indo-China in 1941 is expected to be considerably below normal.

Trade Minister MacKinnon announced November 18th that the British Ministry of Food has entered into an agreement to purchase 120 bushels of Canadian wheat. Purchase of a similar amount was announced last May making a total of 240 million bushels ordered by the U.K. this year. The new sale is in the form of futures.

The Nazis operations in Southern Russia constitute a serious threat to the north Caucasus, one of the richest agricultural regions of the Soviet Union.

Commercial estimates of the output of the Australian wheat crop range between 155 and 165 million bushels compared with the recent preliminary official indication of 166 million bushels.

Gulls Informers For Depth Bombs

During the first months of the war submarine warfare brought death to thousands of gulls in the waters around England. Every time a depth bomb exploded, hundreds of fish were blown up to the surface. Immediately the gulls would swoop upon the water, gorge themselves—forgetting completely about the oil slick left by a blown-to-bits sub. As they ate, the oil penetrated their protective feathers. Helpless, they drowned.

But now, regular bird de-oiling stations have been set up along the English coast. As soon as the coast patrol reports a sunken sub, small boats come out from shore, pick up the oil-soaked birds and give them a "Turkish bath."

It's got so that the de-oilers can tell the number of Nazi subs sunk by the number of gulls brought in each week.

PEACE DISTRICT

Mrs. Roy Vian has moved to Calgary where her husband is employed. Hugh Jackson of Little Chicago visited the district recently.

Lloyd Vian motored to Calgary on a shopping tour. Winter is here. Snow has fallen all day Tuesday.

employment, it was suggested that there may be more decentralization of industry and a closer processing tie-up between industry and agriculture. For war and post-war problems, the Government will be in more active control, and there must be a well-informed public opinion and a greater interest in public affairs.

The Alberta Civil Service in convention is appealing for an 8-hour day and 44 hour week.

Down in Halifax girls are committing bigamy to get as many separation allowances as possible. They wave the boys goodbye, and then marry off another who is going overseas. At least that's the story.

Sale of Alberta coal in Ontario has jumped 157% in the last six months.

Russian patrols under Timoshenko are setting the forests ablaze to smoke out Nazi troops defeated in the rout west of Rostov.

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